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Greg, Dave ---- Here's a 14 page legal brief from the Barnstable County Commissioners asking the State's Environmental Management Commission to deny the Guard's application for the new firing range. Here's their conclusion (italicized). Take a look and we should discuss this week.

Thanks for all the efforts you've been making on this.

The Commission should deny the Project. The proposed the MPMG Range fails to satisfy the applicable Environmental Performance Standards and, if constructed, would threaten drinking water and destroy valuable wildlife habitat. MAARNG has not received the mandatory two-thirds vote of the state Legislature required by Article 97, has not sought a Consistency Certificate from the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management, and has failed to demonstrate compliance with MEPA and EEA's Land Disposition Policy.

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